

MADONNA DEL SASSO SCHOOL



Newest Updates posted on Monday, **February 16, 2010** by Paddy Jo.

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Financial Aid: Financial Aid packets are now in the school office.

Registration Fee for School Year 2010-2011

For returning students, 1st thru 8th grade, the annual \$400 registration fee is due March 1, 2010.

For returning Preschool students, the annual \$300 registration fee is due March 1, 2010.

For those students applying for Kindergarten, the annual \$400 registration fee is due upon receipt of the acceptance letter.

For those new students applying for Preschool, the annual \$300 registration fee is due upon receipt of the acceptance letter.

Important: All accounts must be brought current prior to acceptance of the annual registration fee.

Sweet Friday, February 26: On Friday, February 26, afterschool, the Home & School Association will be selling nachos & lemonade for \$1.50. Come & enjoy a yummy treat!

Hungry for a good book? MDS invites you to the **Book Fair Diner**, where you'll find **All The Books You Can Read!** Mark your calendars--**the MDS Spring 2010 Scholastic Book Fair will open its doors in the Student Activity Center on Sunday, February 28.** The **Book Fair Diner** will be open during the following days and hours:

Sunday, February 28: 10:00am—1:00pm
Monday, March 1 to Friday, March 5: 11:30 am—1:00 pm and 3:00 pm—4:00 pm

Stop by our **Book Fair Diner** to purchase specially priced books and educational products, including new releases, award winners, children's classics, Christian titles, interactive software and current bestsellers for both children and adults. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to buy some great books and support our school!

If you would like to volunteer at this event and earn MDS service hours, there are still openings available during the week (sorry, Sunday is already fully staffed). For more details, please contact Book Fair Chairperson Stephanie Murphy at 444-8054.

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“Evening in Tuscany”: It’s that time of year again we are looking for volunteers to help with our yearly Dinner Dance fund raiser. We need help with the following tasks:

- 1 - Selling tickets on Fridays at the noon student dismissal and at the 3:00 pm student dismissal
- 2 - Decorating Friday March 5Th during the day
- 3 - Decorating Saturday March 6Th the morning of the event
- 4 - Collect tickets at the entrance the night of March 6Th
- 5 - Live auction bid rovers during the event March 6Th
- 6 - Clean up Saturday night after the event March 6Th

This is a great opportunity to get some service hours. E-mail Troy Fink at troyfink@sbcglobal.net or call 408-710-3389 to reserve your services hour opportunity.

“An Evening in Tuscany”: Tickets for the 2010 Madonna Del Sasso Dinner/Dance, “An Evening in Tuscany” are now available. **Tickets are \$40.00 each.** They will be available in the school office or every Friday out front at pick up from 11:45 am to 12:15 pm and from 2:45 pm to 3:15 pm through March 3rd. Each ticket includes dinner and entry into the “free tuition” raffle. This year’s event will be held on Saturday, March 6th from 5:30pm to 11pm at the Salinas Sports Complex. **ADMISSION TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR!**

50/50 Raffle Tickets for Evening in Tuscany:

ALL 50/50 Raffle tickets need to be accounted for – whether sold or not. Either return the sold tickets (and the funds collected) or the tickets alone, if you are unable to sell or purchase them. **The deadline for sold tickets or returned tickets to the office was last Friday, Feb. 5, 2010.** Please **DO NOT wait to turn your sold tickets in at the event** as the sales need to be recorded as soon as possible. Please call Elaine Turner at 424-7813 Ext 12 if you have questions regarding this. We appreciate all of the efforts expended to make our fund raiser a success.

SPORTS (GOLF/TRACK & FIELD/TENNIS) UPDATE:

There will be an informational meeting this Thursday, February 18th at 6:30pm in the SAC. If your child has signed up or is interested in signing up for Golf or Track & Field or Tennis, please come to this meeting WITH your children. We will be handing out the schedule of matches/meets, discussing rules, requirements, etc.

WE NEED COACHES: If you are interested in coaching these sports, please attend this meeting for more information on the responsibilities. Our kids will not be able to participate in these events without coaches.

NOTE: These sports are for the middle school grades: 6th, 7th & 8th for both boys AND girls. Any questions, please contact the Athletic Director, Paula Matelli at: 758-5003 or email: paula@pjgrafx.com

DATES TO REMEMBER:

(Thursdays are bank days with Coast-Tel, remember to bring your money for deposit!)

February 17 – Ash Wednesday, ashes will be distributed in the classrooms

February 19 – Progress Reports

February 28 – First day of the “Spring Book Fair”

March 6 – “An Evening in Tuscany” MDS Dinner/Dance, 5:30 pm in Salinas Sports Complex, Mall Room.

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Any questions, please call 831- 424-7813